

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Jackie Y. Ying et al.
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For: POROUS CARBON STRUCTURES AND METHODS
Examiner: S. L. Hendrickson
Art Unit: 1793

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Dated: April 14, 2008


Signature

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in Election/Restriction Requirement mailed March 14, 2008, Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-40 for continued examination, without traverse.

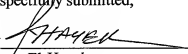
The Election/Restriction Requirement also requires an election of species. Applicants elect the carbon materials species for continued examination.

A first and favorable action is respectfully requested. If, for any reason, the Examiner is of the opinion that a telephone conversation with the Applicant's representative would expedite prosecution, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at 617-646-8000.

Dated: April 14, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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